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## KNIFE IS THE BEST WEAPON

Training of Infantry on the Continent Hereafter Will Include Hand-to-Hand Fighting.

Today the defense stands pat on earthworks, wire and machine guns. The attack has tried gas, petrol, bayonets, siege artillery, field artillery, grenades and mines, and has come out, generally speaking, second best. Trench mortars have not developed the requisite accuracy nor the requisite destructive power. High-explosive shells in sufficient quantities have accomplished the best offensive work, and the infantry is depending more and more on a short, heavy knife, which is the best for work underground or in the dark. To sum up: killing the defenders of a position is accomplished by shells fired at least two miles away on the average; and, secondly, by what the French call body-to-body fighting, for which a knife is the best weapon. The training of infantry on the continent will, in the future, undoubtedly include the technique of hand-to-hand struggles—for which physical agility and strength must be developed.—New Republic.

### Libel on the Bagpipes.

All English battalions were recently warned to keep a careful watch for any contrivances which the Germans might use with the object of producing poisonous gases. Shortly afterward a certain regiment on taking over some trenches found an old bagpipe left in the line. At once the colonel, who possessed a rare sense of humor, sent the following message to brigade headquarters: "A weird instrument has just been discovered in my trenches; it is believed to be used for producing asphyxiating noises."

### Defined.

Harry—Paw, what is a henpecked husband?

Paw—A man whose nerve is in his wife's name.

## Building Master Men

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## THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

## IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE.

Western Newspaper Union News Service ABOUT THE WAR.

Russia will call an additional army of 8,000,000 reserves to colors.

An Austrian submarine torpedoed and sank a large British transport in the southern Adriatic.

The number of Russians taken prisoners since May 1 by the Austrians and Germans is reckoned by La Salsse at 2,571,750.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg's army is now well astride the Dvinsk-Vilna railway, his advance guards having reached and occupied the town of Vidzy.

Official announcement was made in the House of Commons that the total of British war casualties up to August 11 was 381,983 officers and men killed, wounded or missing.

A new vote of credit for \$1,250,000,000 was asked in the House of Commons by Premier Asquith. This brings the total up to \$6,310,000,000. The premier announced that nearly 3,000,000 men had enlisted.

Official announcement was made in London that Russian torpedo boats had sunk near Sinope, a seaport of Asia Minor on the Black sea, an entire fleet of sailing vessels laden with munitions of war. The crews of these vessels were taken prisoners.

Advices from Constantinople, according to the Athens correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company, are to the effect that all government financial institutions, such as the Ottoman bank, are making preparations to move to the interior of Asia Minor.

According to the most recent financial report, M. Ribot said, the average monthly war expenses of Russia were 1,800,000,000 francs (\$300,000,000); Germany's monthly war expenses approach 2,500,000,000 francs (\$500,000,000), while Great Britain's exceed this amount.

Minister of Finance Ribot's memorandum accompanying the bill introduced in the chamber of deputies at Paris appropriating 6,200,000 francs (\$1,240,000,000) for the expenses of the last quarter of the year, say that France already has advanced 650,000,000 francs (\$130,000,000) to her allies.

Stern battles are being fought all along the eastern front from Riga to the Rumanian borders, and while the Germans continue to advance slowly in the north and center, the Russians in the south are repeating their successes against the Austro-German armies, which are now being driven back across the river Stripa in Galicia and have been forced to retire westward, north of the Galician frontier. To the south of Vilna, towards Grodno, the Russians are offering a stubborn resistance and have the Germans firmly held.

### WESTERN.

Colorado is to have auto mail delivery.

The fifteenth anniversary of the independence of Guatemala was celebrated as Guatemala day at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco.

Several thousand suffragists from the various states opened at San Francisco a big convention under the auspices of the Women's Congressional Union.

More than 1,500 pairs of socks were collected at Duluth, Minn., for Canadian soldiers on the European battlefields at a "Christmas shower" given by Canadian sympathizers.

Bandits operating along the Mexican Northwestern railroad have threatened the lives of all foreigners, particularly Americans, according to reports received at El Paso, Tex.

Final surveys, preparatory to construction work, have been made during the past few days on the extension of the Union Pacific system from Wyoming into the Colorado field tapped by the Moffat road.

Newman Erb, wealthy financier and railroad reorganizer, who swallowed two poison tablets by mistake, is confined to his summer home at Deal, N. J., calmly awaiting the outcome of the efforts being made by three specialists to save his life. He is virtually free from pain, and is entirely conscious.

### FOREIGN.

The Colombian Cabinet resigned as the result of a disagreement with the Congress.

All early reports to the army and civil officials indicated a peaceful celebration of the holiday by Mexicans.

The death is announced at Florence, Italy, of Cardinal Benedetto Lorenzelli, archbishop of Lucca and perfect of the congregation of studies.

The first order the British government placed with the Canadian manufacturers for field artillery guns and howitzers amounted to \$65,000,000.

The bill providing for a general political amnesty, which has been approved by the Chamber of Deputies, was adopted at Lima, Peru, by the Senate.

The mayor of Regla, on the east shore of Havana harbor, has asked the secretary of the interior for permission to issue rifles to the police, as a negro uprising is feared.

The death is announced of Bugler Rolland, sole survivor of those who took part in the battle of Sidi Brahimi in 1845 in the French war of subjugation in Algeria. He was 95 years old.

The Turin, Italy, Gazette del Popolo says it has received a dispatch from Petrograd stating that Emperor Nicholas has granted amnesty to all political prisoners. The number affected is said to be more than 100,000.

The Russian duma was prorogued at Petrograd until mid-November. President Rodzianko announcing an imperial order authorizing the prorogation, which had been transmitted through Premier Goremykin.

The power schooner Ruby arrived at Nome, Alaska, from Herschel Island, on the Arctic coast west of the mouth of the Mackenzie river, with news that Vihjalmur Stefansson, the Canadian explorer, who, with two companions, Storker, Storkerson and Ole Anderson, set out from Martin Point, Alaska, March 22, 1914, over the frozen Polar ocean to search for supposed new lands in the Beaufort sea, is not only alive and well, but has accomplished every purpose for which the hazardous journey was undertaken.

### SPORT.

Jack Torres of Albuquerque was awarded the decision over Dick Wells of Cincinnati in their fifteen-round fight at the Ramona, Colo., Athletic Club.

Sam Goshen, well known in Colorado Springs athletic and newspaper circles, and Miss Minnie A. Reed eloped to Pueblo and were married. Mr. Goshen had been umpire at the Zoo baseball park for several years and had refereed a number of local fights.

The mile state pacing record was broken on the State Fair ground track at Pueblo, Colo., when Waynetta, a horse entered in the \$1,000 event, circled the oval in 2:08 1/4. The owner received a special prize of \$50 in addition to the purse for the race.

According to the official statement made to the State Boxing Commission of New York by the promoters of the Gibbons-McFarland bout, 24,845 persons paid admissions to witness that boxing contest. The gross receipts were \$58,069, of which the state receives \$4,855.17.

Frank Clay, an aeronaut, fell from his parachute at the state fair grounds at Pueblo, Colo., receiving injuries from which he died six hours later. A year ago Weldon Cook, the California aviator, was killed at the state fair grounds when his aeroplane collapsed in attempting to "loop the loop."

### GENERAL.

Ten deaths were reported in the east from the heat wave.

The first cargo of German-made toys to arrive at Philadelphia this year was unloaded from the Holland-American line steamer Zaanvijk. There were 1,200 cases in the cargo.

Mayor Mitchell of New York said that the budget for 1916 may be \$212,000,000, the increased figure being due to the direct state tax of \$19,000,000, of which the city will have to pay \$13,500,000.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., through the Rockefeller Bureau of Social Hygiene, sent an \$15,000 check to Miss Katherine D. Davis, commissioner of corrections, toward the cost of erecting a hospital for drug habitues on Riker's Island.

At Lobo, Tex., Fred Frisbie was drowned by a flood of water that came down a dry arroyo from a mountain cloudburst, and Napoleon Espall, a farm hand, was killed by lightning on the Cadwallader farm, seven miles below El Paso.

Near Bartlesville, Okla., one life was lost, property damaged to an extent estimated at \$500,000 and train service demoralized on three railroads, the result of the worst flood that has overwhelmed that section in twenty-five years.

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The Alternative.  
"Please may I keep my book till Monday?" asked the small voice of a small boy the other day over the tall counter of a London public library.

"Why do you want to keep it?" said the librarian.

"Because I ain't finished it," said the little fellow.

"How long will it take you to finish it?" quoth the librarian.

"An hour," said the boy.

"Well," said the librarian, "it is Saturday night, but we do not close for two hours. Go home and finish the book and bring it back."

The boy thought hard, and the librarian said:

"Can't you do that?"

"No," he said, "I can't do that, because if I go home I'll get a bath!"

### Financial Reasons.

"Why don't you get your doctor to reduce that swelling in your face?"

"I'm afraid he'll put it in the bill."

Red Cross Bag Blue makes the laundress happy, makes clothes whiter than snow. All good grocers. Adv.

Too often there is a sting back of honeyed words.

This Gem of Irish Wit.  
Lieut. "Andy" Rolan, who was at his best when, on a dull and quiet evening in the headquarters at the old city hall, he gathered about him the night police reporters and told them stories of his youth and Ireland, told this one to his friend, "Matty" White:

"When I left Ireland, this munny a year ago, a lad in brogans and top hat, my mither came to the dock and she wept and wept at my going away. 'Never mind, mither mine,' says I. 'Amerikky is a land o' gold and opportunities. In a year I'll come back to ye—rich.' But I didn't. I didn't have annybody to go back to. My mither was here keepin' house for us seven lads, and every one of us was travelin' out o' the same station."—Chicago Herald.

### The Explanation.

"He is the only man I have ever seen who could eat corn on the cob gracefully."

"He is an expert player on the flute."

The amount of money in circulation in this country is \$34.53 per capita. In 1800 it was \$5.

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For cookies, pancakes, doughnuts and the like, which cannot all be baked at once, K C is indispensable. For all baking the double raise makes doubly certain.

Follow the example of the professional cook and your baking will be equal to his.